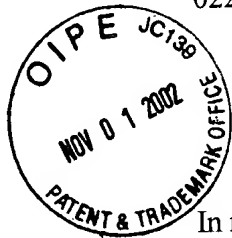


# 12/28  
11/8/2

PATENT APPLICATION

02280.002470.



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

E. MICHAEL ACKLEY, JR., ET AL.

Application No.: 09/479,549

Filed: January 7, 2000

For: METHOD TO PRINT  
MULTICOLOR IMAGES  
ON EDIBLE PIECES

)  
: Examiner: S. Weinstein

)  
: Group Art Unit: 1761

)

:

)

:

)

:

Date: October 30, 2002

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

RECEIVED  
NOV -4, 2002  
TC 1700 MAIL ROOM

RESPONSE AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

A Notice of Appeal from the Examiner's Final Office Action having been filed July 1, 2002, applicants respectfully petition for a two month extension of time, extending the period for response to November 1, 2002. A check in the amount of \$400.00 to cover the extension fee is enclosed.

Continued prosecution of the subject application is respectfully requested in view of the following remarks.

11/04/2002 AMONDAF1 00000039 09479549

01 FC:1252

400.00 OP